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District Programs Information Bulletin

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TO: All District Administrative Coordinators
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All District Fiscal Agents
All District Planning Council Members
All District Planning Oversight Committee Members
All District Response Task Force Commanders
All Emergency Management Directors

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Subject: Disaster Logistics Specialist Courses

Purpose

The purpose of this Information Bulletin is to announce the partnership between the Indiana Department of Homeland Security (IDHS) and the Texas Engineering and Extension (TEEX) Office of Texas A&M University which will provide the Disaster Logistics Specialist Course for the District Response Task Force Training Initiative.

General

The IDHS has contracted the TEEX to conduct three deliveries of the Disaster Logistics Specialist Course. This course is being brought to Indiana so that District Response Task Force Service and Support Branch personnel can attend and complete their minimum training standards. The IDHS – TEEX partnership reaffirms the IDHS commitment to top quality training providers in support of the District Response Task Force Initiative.

Training Calendar

This course will be held in a regional format (North, central and South). The dates and locations are as follows:

August 16 – 20, 2010
Indiana Task Force 1 Headquarters, Indianapolis
8AM-5PM

September 27 - October 1, 2010
Radisson Star Plaza, Merrillville
8AM-5PM (CST)

October 18 - 22
Lynnville Fire Dept, Lynnville
8am-5pm

Course Description

This course is designed to provide emergency services personnel the knowledge, skills, and abilities necessary to perform logistical support at a natural disaster or terrorist incident. Keeping an all-risk environment in mind, this course exposes the participants to the essential requirements of providing support, re-supply, transportation, sustenance and maintenance of a department's equipment and personnel. Participants are provided hands-on, task-oriented practical exercises to reinforce classroom instruction.

Target Audience

- Service Support Personnel on District Task Forces
- All Hazards Incident Management Team Logistic Section Chiefs
- District Response Task Force Leadership
- Emergency Response Personnel with Logistical Duties

Pre-Requisites

Students should have completed ICS 100 & 700

Registration

Details and registration information may be found at the IDHS Training Opportunities calendar found at <https://oas.in.gov:4443/hs/training/public/calendar.do> and click on the NIMS/ICS (IDHS Sanctioned) link.

Questions

Any questions pertaining to District Response Task Force Training may be submitted to Ashlee Grisel, District Training Coordinator, Agriamel@dhs.in.gov, 317-234-7730.